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For: P-TEFb COMPOSITIONS, METHODS	§	Atty. Docket No. 36698.4
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## 1. AMENDMENT; 2. RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MAY 18, 2005

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The Examiner is respectfully requested to enter the following amendments. A response to the Eighth and Final Official Action in the present application, dated May 18, 2005 ("the Action"), is also submitted. The Examiner is requested to consider the remarks therein. Applicant believes that the present materials place the claims in condition for allowance, and re-examination and reconsideration is respectfully requested on this basis.

As this amendment and response is being timely submitted within two-months' issuance of the Final Official Action, Applicants hereby request that an Advisory Action and/or a Notice of Allowability/Allowance be issued in the case with all due course. No fees are believed to be due in connection with the present submission, however, should any additional fees be deemed necessary in connection with this document for any reason, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to deduct any necessary amount(s) from Deposit Account No. 08-1394.